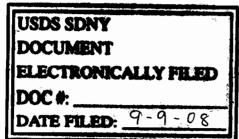
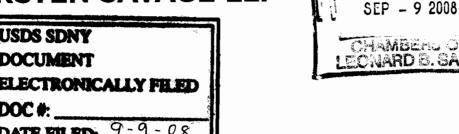
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Hon. Leonard B. Sand United States District Court Southern District of New York 500 Pearl Street, Room 1650 New York, New York 10007

Re: Maloul v. Berkowitz, et al., 07 Civ. 8525 (LBS)

Dear Judge Sand:

This firm represents defendants in the above action. I am writing, on behalf of counsel for both sides, to request that Your Honor set the following schedule in the case: Discovery to close by March 31, 2009; expert reports, if any, to be served by December 31, 2008; and rebuttal expert reports, if any, to be served by January 31, 2009.

We thank you for your consideration.

Respectfully yours,

Steven R. Popofsky

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